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SUBJECT: THE CAMBODIAN MILITARY SITUATION

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USDAO CAMBODIAN BANGKOK, 25-27 JUN 74. SECRET

KHMER COMMUNIST FORCES ARE THREATENING THE PROVINCIAL
CAPITAL OF REMORTE KONG PROVINCE ON THE NORTHWESTERN COAST.
AT LEAST TWO GOVERNMENT POSITIONS NEAR THE TOWN OF KONG KONG,
100 MILES WEST OF PHNOM PENH, FELL ON JUNE 27. THE LOCAL GOVERN-
MENT COMMANDER HAS REPORTED HIS UNDERSTRENGTH UNITS CANNOT HOLD
OUT WITHOUT REINFORCEMENTS--WHICH PROBABLY WOULD HAVE TO COME
FROM THE SEAPORT OF KOMPONG SOM. FIGHTING ELSEWHERE IN THE
COUNTRY REMAINS AT A LOW LEVEL. THE COMMUNISTS HAVE NOT YET
SERIOUSLY CONTESTED RECENT GOVERNMENT GAINS ON ROUTES 4 AND 5,
SOUTHWEST AND NORTH OF PHNOM PENH RESPECTIVELY. E-2 IMPDET.
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